



CALTRANS CONSTRUCTION ALERT

Date: Thursday, January 12, 2012
District: 6 – Fresno, Tulare, Kings, Madera and Kern
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GOSHEN TO KINGSBURG WIDENING PROJECT SOUTHBOUND 99 LANE CLOSURES TONIGHT

The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) in cooperation with Diablo Construction announces the night-time closure of the #1 lane (left lane) of southbound State Route 99 as part of the in Tulare County.

Night-time lane closure will be as follows (weather permitting):

Southbound State Route 99, #1 lane (left lane) will be closed from 7:00 p.m. to 7:00 a.m. tonight, Thursday, January 12, 2012, between the Fresno/Tulare County line near Kingsburg to Traver. Southbound 99 will be reduced to one lane in this area during these work hours.

Closures may continue for longer periods of time each day if necessary, due to delays caused by weather or uncontrollable events that may occur during construction.

The State Route 99 Goshen to Kingsburg 6-Lane Widening Project is a \$77 million dollar project that will widen the existing four-lane freeway to a six-lane freeway from the community of Goshen in Tulare County to just north of the Tulare/Fresno County line near the City of Kingsburg, a total of approximately 13.8 miles. The project will add lanes to reduce congestion, increase mobility and the overall capacity of the freeway to better accommodate future traffic volumes on State Route 99 which are expected to double between the years 2010 and 2040.

Caltrans would like to thank the residents and commuters for their patience during this improvement project. The public is asked to drive with extra care while traveling through the construction area and please **Slow of the Cone Zone**.

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